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The 6 month period of suspension, granted in paper no.22, has ended and accordingly, in view of applicant's showing of facts and a corresponding amendment to the drawings, the rejection of claims 14-17 under 35 U.S.C. 251 and alternatively 35 U.S.C. 112 first paragraph new matter has been overcome.

The application is now being returned to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences for a final decision on the art rejection.

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Brian Casler whose telephone number is (703) 308-3552. The fax number at this location is (703) 308-0758.

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